

**UTILITY PATENT
APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL**
(Only for new nonprovisional applications
under 37 CFR 1.53(b))

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10. English translation Document (if applicable)

11. Information Disclosure Statement Copies of IDS Citations

12. Preliminary Amendment

13. Return Receipt Postcard (MPEP 503)

14. Small Entity Status is claimed.

15. Claim for Convention Priority Certified copy of Priority Document is enclosed.

a. Priority of Japanese Application No. 9-101954 filed on April 18, 1997; of Japanese Application No. 9-104978 filed on April 22, 1997; and of Japanese Application No. 9-233109 filed on August 28, 1997 are claimed under 35 USC 119. The certified copies have been filed in prior application Serial No.: 09/420,000.

16. Other

17. If a CONTINUING APPLICATION, check appropriate box and supply the requisite information:

Continuation Division Continuation-in-part (CIP) of prior application no. 09/908,563

now abandoned

a. Please amend the specification by inserting after the title: - - This application is a continuation of prior application Serial No. 09/908,563 filed July 20, 2001, which is a divisional of prior application 09/420,000 filed October 18, 1999, which is a continuation of international application PCT/JP98/01776 filed April 17, 1998.

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FEE TRANSMITTAL	Number Filed	Number Extra	Rate	.. Basic Fee
The filing fee is calculated below				\$770.00
Total Claims	60 - 20	40	x \$18.00	\$720.00
Independent Claims	16 - 3	13	x \$86.00	\$1,118.00
Multiple Dependent Claims			\$290.00	\$290.00
Total Basic Filing Fee				
Reduction by 1/2 for small entity				
Fee for recording enclosed Assignment				
TOTAL				\$2,898.00